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TAGS: ETRD, SY
SUBJECT: ARAB BOYCOTT

1. EMBASSY COMMERCIAL SECTION HAS BEEN ASKED ON AN INFORMAL BASIS FOLLOWING QUESTION RELATING TO INTERPRETATION OF U.S. ANTI-BOYCOTT REGULATIONS: IS IT LEGAL FOR A U.S. FIRM TO SIGN A STATEMENT THAT THE CONTRACT OF WHICH STATEMENT WAS A PART WOULD BE CONSIDERED NULL AND VOID IF IT WERE PROVEN TO THE SYRIAN CONTRACTING PARTY THAT U.S. FIRM WAS IN SOME WAY DEALING WITH THE STATE OF ISRAEL IN REGARD TO CARRYING OUT CONTRACT? IT SHOULD BE MADE CLEAR THAT NOTHING ON DOCUMENT INDICATED U.S. FIRM WAS AGREEING TO THIS CONDITION, BUT RATHER THAT SIGNATURE WAS MERELY AN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT THAT CONDITION IMPOSED.

2. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE CLARIFICATION ON LEGALITY OF ABOVE PROCEDURE.
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Message Attributes

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